

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

v.

ALI SADR HASHEMI NEJAD,

Defendant.

No. 18 Cr. 224 (ALC)

**MOTION FOR WITHDRAWAL  
OF APPEARANCE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that attorneys Baruch Weiss, Andrew Bauer, and Tal R. Machnes, from the firm Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP ("Arnold & Porter"), hereby respectfully request permission to withdraw their appearances in the above-referenced action as counsel on behalf of Defendant Ali Sadr Hashemi Nejad, and further request to be removed from the docket and electronic service list accordingly. Defendant Ali Sadr Hashemi Nejad consents to these withdrawals, and the withdrawals will leave the Defendant with other attorneys of record who intend to serve as counsel in this case. *See* Dkt. 54, 55, 62. Pursuant to Local Rule 1.4, we report that Arnold & Porter has determined not to assert a retaining or charging lien at this time.

Dated: September 28, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

SO ORDERED:

  
HON. ANDREW L. CARTER, JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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